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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY
WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR SEQUENCE DISCLOSURE**

Sir:

This replies to the communication mailed July 21, 2000 from the Patent Office, concerning "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures."

Submitted herewith is "Sequence Listing" in a computer readable form, and a paper copy of the sequence listing consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 1-14 in accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR §§ 1.821.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.821

Applicant hereby states, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(f), that the contents of the paper copy and computer readable form submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(c), and 37



CFR §1.821(e) respectively are identical. Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter is introduced by this submission.

Respectfully Submitted,

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